

Property may be erected into a separate parish. Effect of such erection. **8.** It shall be lawful for the Catholic ordinary of the diocese of Chicoutimi to erect the said establishment and the immoveables connected therewith into a separate parish, and such erection shall have all civil effects on publication of the decree of the said ordinary in the *Quebec Official Gazette*.

Certain property vested in corporation. Payment of debts. **9.** From and after the coming into force of this act, all moveable and immoveable property, claims and rights connected with the Mistassini establishment shall be the property of the corporation hereby constituted, which shall, at the same time, become liable for all the debts, charges and obligations contracted in connection with the said establishment—without however the persons or corporations that have contracted them being relieved therefrom.

Coming into force. **10.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

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CHAP. 89

An act to incorporate *Les Petites Sœurs de la Sainte Famille*

[Assented to 28th March, 1901]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS it has been represented, by the petition of the persons hereinafter mentioned, that there has existed since the 26th January, 1896, in the city of Sherbrooke, in the Province of Quebec, a community of nuns called *Les Petites Sœurs de la Sainte Famille*, whose object is to devote themselves to household duties and kitchen service in connection with the interior and domestic service of seminaries and generally of all institutions more or less devoted to the training of priests ;

That the incorporation of the said community would assure and greatly increase the advantages resulting therefrom, and whereas it has, through its members hereinafter mentioned, prayed to be incorporated in accordance with the by-laws and provisions hereinafter mentioned, and whereas it is expedient to grant its prayer :

Therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Persons incorporated.

**1.** Eulodie Virginie Paradis, in religion Sister Marie Léonie ; Nathalie Leger, in religion Sister Marie de l'Assomption ; Adéline Comeau, in religion Sister Marie de St.

Charles ; Vitaline Lacroix, in religion Sister Louis de Gonzague ; Rose de Lima Patenaude, in religion Sister Marie du Perpétuel Secours, all at present members of the said community, and all other persons who may hereafter become members of the said institution, are incorporated under the name of "*Les Petites Sœurs de la Sainte Famille.*"

**2.** The corporation hereby constituted shall have perpetual succession. It may have a common seal and change the same at will ; it may appear before the courts in the same manner as any person may ; borrow, sign bills of exchange and promissory notes ; hold, accept and acquire, by any legal title, moveable and immoveable property, which it may sell, alienate, hypothecate, assign, lease, transfer, exchange or otherwise dispose of by any title whatsoever, provided always that the yearly revenue from the immoveables held by the corporation for revenue purposes does not exceed twenty thousand dollars.

Corporate powers.

**3.** The corporate seat of the community shall be in the city of Sherbrooke.

Corporate seat.

**4.** The corporation shall be governed according to the rules of the community, and it may adopt rules, regulations and by-laws, which it may afterwards amend or repeal, respecting the administration of its property, the direction and government of its houses or establishments, the election, number, and powers of its directors and officers, the attributes of its members, their admission and removal, and generally adopt all by-laws, not contrary to law, relating to the purposes of the said corporation, with the sanction of the ordinary of the diocese of Sherbrooke.

Rules to govern corporation and power to make rules, &c.

**5.** The corporation may establish and maintain branches in any place within this province, where it may erect such buildings as may be suitable for its purposes, and in particular a chapel, to which the public may be admitted, in each locality where it shall have an establishment.

Corporation may establish branches, &c.

**6.** The corporation may appoint officers, procurators or administrators among its members and define their powers ; it may also appoint procurators outside of the institution.

Appointment of officers.

**7.** Every document, bearing the signature of the superioress, the assistant and the depositary of the corporation, shall be deemed binding upon the corporation, provided that, in the case of a document emanating from a branch, it bear the signature of the superioress in chief (*supérieure majeure*) residing at the corporate seat of the institution or be confirmed by her by means of a separate document.

Documents binding upon corporation. Proviso.

Occupations in which corporation may engage.

**8.** The corporation may engage in such occupations as are calculated to assist it in supporting itself, and amongst others, receive lay or clerical boarders who may wish to live in its houses, carry on industries and dispose of the products thereof; establish laundries, do sewing and weaving, provided it conform in so doing to the laws of the Province, the directions of the ecclesiastical authorities, and municipal by-laws.

Annual return to Legislature.

**9.** The corporation shall, every year send to each of the three branches of the Legislature a detailed statement of the immoveables it holds in virtue of this act.

Coming into force.

**10.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

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### An Act to incorporate *l'Institut des Sœurs de Notre-Dame du Bon Conseil*

[Assented to 28th March, 1901]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS *Les Sœurs de Notre-Dame du Bon Conseil* have, by their petition, prayed to be incorporated and it is expedient to grant their prayer;

Therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

Persons incorporated.

**1.** Françoise Simard, in religion Sister Marie du Bon Conseil; Alma Pelletier, in religion Sister St. Joseph; Marguerite Sheehy, in religion Sister Ste. Anne; Marie Josephine Hudon, in religion Sister Marie de l'Assomption; Séphora Desbiens, in religion Sister St. François de Sales; Sophie Grenon, in religion Sister St. Jean Berchmans; Déméris Martel, in religion Sister St. Jean Baptiste, now residing in the town of Chicoutimi, members of *l'Institut de Notre-Dame du Bon Conseil*, and all other persons who now or shall hereafter form part of the said institute in accordance with its rules, statutes and by-laws, are incorporated under the name of *l'Institut des Sœurs de Notre-Dame du Bon Conseil*.

Name.

Corporate powers.

**2.** The corporation hereby constituted shall have perpetual succession.

It may have a common seal and alter the same at will; appear before the courts in the same manner as any person may;